

M A S S S C H E D U L E**Monday 8/10 7:30AM Fr. Spellman**

2 Corinthians 9:6-10
 Psalm 112:1-2, 5-9
 John 12:24-26

Tuesday 8/11 7:30AM Fr. Idomele

Deuteronomy 31:1-8
 Deuteronomy 32:4, 7-9, 12
 Matthew 18:1-5, 10, 12-14

Wednesday 8/12 7:30AM Fr. Spellman

Deuteronomy 34:1-12
 Psalm 66:1-3, 5, 8, 16-17
 Matthew 18:15-20

Thursday 8/13 7:30AM Fr. Idomele

Joshua 3:7-11, 13-17
 Psalm 114:1-6
 Matthew 18:21-19:1

Friday 8/14 7:30AM Fr. Spellman

Joshua 24:1-13
 Psalm 136:1-3, 16-18, 21-22, 24
 Matthew 19:3-12

**Saturday 8/15 7:30AM Fr. Spellman
4:30PM Fr. Idomele**

Revelation 11:19; 12:1-6, 10
 Psalm 45:10-12, 16
 1 Corinthians 15:20-27
 Luke 1:39-56

**Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday 8/16**

8:00am Fr. Spellman
10:00am Fr. Idomele
12:30pm Fr. Spellman

Proverbs 9:1-6
 Psalm 34:2-7
 Ephesians 5:15-20
 John 6:51-58

CDs of Sunday Masses are available in the Church Office on Tuesday of each week.

In need of prayers...

Ethel Allen, Genevieve Alexander, Susan Augustine, Arleen Bouscher, Iola Brown, Rebecca Braithwaite, McCoy Brown, Inez Cameron, Nicholas Dudley, Bettye Epps, Olivia Griffin, Amy Gosey, Henry Green, Margaret Guillory, Rudi Eagleson, Milton Johnson, Ellender Julian, Irene Johnson, David Little, Ruth Revis, Edna Valdry, James Smith, Eva Smith, Phyllis Troupe, Elsie Weston, West "Ted" Williams, Mary Wiley, Thad Wiltz, Donald Aubrey, Phyllis Pope, Jose Gonzalez, Ruben Palamaris, Elrena Dandy and Ruth Howard (Sisters of Tina Floyd), Ophelia Walker, Sheryl Cooper-McGinest, Naomi Sealey, Berenice Scott, Eva Anderson, Lucy Byrd, Zelandia Fero, Taylor Brown, Jordan Brown, David Lewis, Gerald Winn, Susan Hughes, Karla Martinez Ochaeta (niece of Carmen El-Khoury), Joshua Bolden, Warren Knox Jr., Edwin Thomas Sr., Barbara Ellis, Clyde Mitchell, Ruby Louque, Henry Green, Lloyd Moses, Oscar Antonio Romero, Thurman Johnson, Edna Bendy, Debra Stewart, Gary Elliott, Monica Lewis, Herbie King, Mario Toledo, those seeking employment, and those struggling to make ends meet during these tough times.

Church Bulletin Board

Monday, Aug 10, 2009 3:00pm Olan Mills
 6:30pm Bible Study
 7:00pm Renew 2000 (Spanish)
 7:00pm Lector (English)
 7:00pm School Board

Tuesday, Aug 11, 2009 3:00pm Olan Mills
 7:00pm Substance Abuse
 7:00pm Spanish Intercessory
 7:00pm Youth Group

Wednesday, Aug 12, 2009 3:00pm Olan Mills
 6:30pm MSC
 7:00pm Mariano Ministry
 7:00pm Spanish Baptism Class

Thursday, Aug 13, 2009 3:00pm Olan Mills
 12:30pm Bible Study
 7:00pm Spanish Prayer Group

Friday, Aug 14, 2009 6:30pm Young Adult Choir
 7:00pm Bible Study
 7:00pm Baptismal Class

Saturday, Aug 15, 2009 11:00am Girl Scouts
 6:30pm Rosary

Sunday, Aug 16, 2009 2:00pm Awe Drumming

Church Directory & Portraits

Olan Mills is back to update our Church Directory. The dates portraits will be taken are Monday, August 10, 2009 through Thursday, August 13, 2009 from 3:00pm to 8:30pm in the Acacia Center.

Pastor's Letter

For the past year and a half, **the Pastors of Jefferson Park** have been meeting on the first Thursday of each month *to pray for peace in our community*. Through these prayer services I have met many wonderful, spiritual people, all of whom lift up our prayers to God asking for an end to the violence that plagues our community. We know that God hears our prayers and it is up to each one of us to choose the path that leads to peace in our community, our city and our world.

On March 11th of this year 26 year-old Jerell Green was shot and killed at the corner of Jefferson and Arlington, less than two blocks from Holy Name of Jesus Church. His mother, Sandra Pruitt, has said *"Enough is enough"* and has approached the Pastors of Jefferson Park and asked for our assistance in joining the voices of our community together to call for an end to this violence.

On *Saturday, August 22nd*, we will be holding a **"SAVING LIVES" March and Rally against violence in Jefferson Park.** The march will begin at the corner of Jefferson and Western and will proceed west along Jefferson to Leslie N. Shaw Park, just past the library. At the park, we will continue with a rally in which the families in our community will speak out against the tragedies that have affected our young people and have our voices heard in our community.

In order for the violence to cease, each one of us must make the decision that "Enough is enough!" We are all children of God and we are all called to recognize the dignity of each person. We may not know everyone's name, or speak the same language, or share the same cultural backgrounds, but we are all children of the One True God. Please join us on Saturday, August 22nd at 9:00 a.m. at the corner of Jefferson and Western or join us in Leslie N. Shaw Park for the rally.

May the Lord continue to bless us always, and in all ways, *Father Paul*

The Mini-Kitchen will be closed August 3-7 and will re-open August 10, 2009. Any youth that needs community service hours can come and work in the Mini-Kitchen August 10-27 from 8:30am to 10:30am Monday thru Thursday. Please call Cathy Brown for information (323) 734-8888 ext 2.

Grand Opportunity

The Ministry of proclaiming the Word (Lectors) announces a raffle of

2 beautiful images. First and Second Prize:

* Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

* The Immaculate Heart of Jesus

Tickets are only \$ 1.00. Come and participate. Our brothers will be by the doors selling tickets.

Dear Parishioners:

The Brighter Day Junior Choir will be singing at St. Patrick's Catholic Church in Oakland on Sunday, August 16, 2009 with Father Gregory Chisholm, S.J. A chartered bus will be leaving from Holy Name on Friday, August 14th and returning Sunday evening August 16th. The cost is approximately \$70.00 per person. Limited seating available, first come first served basis. Hotel accommodations are available at the Hilton Garden Inn San Francisco / Oakland Bay Bridge in Emeryville, (510) 658-9300, at a rate of \$85.00 + tax plus 5.00 to park a day and are being held under the group name Holy Name of Jesus Catholic Church. To take advantage of the special group rate reservations must be made by Friday, August 7th. Reservations received after Friday, August 7th will be provided on a space and rate available basis.

For more information contact Cathy Brown (323) 734-8888 ext. 2 or Monica Lewis (323) 734-8888.

HNOJ School News

Thank You HNOJ Parishioners!

Thank you very much for making Holy Name of Jesus School's "EVENING OF MUSIC" a success. Our goal is to raise \$20,000 by August 31, 2009 to provide scholarships to deserving students. With your assistance we have raised \$9,000 thus far.

You are a valued member of our school community and we appreciate your efforts to join us in making the school more affordable and accessible to those families that want to access a quality, Catholic education.

The Scholarship Fund continues through August 31, 2009; the beginning of the new school year. If you intend to make a pledge, please contact us at the school:

Tel: 323-731-2255 or mail your check to:
Holy Name of Jesus School
1955 W. Jefferson Blvd.
Los Angeles, CA 90018

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Keyboards and All School Supplies needed:

Holy Name of Jesus School is in need of keyboards and School supplies. The number of students receiving piano training has increased. As a result, the school is requesting donations of functioning keyboards. The school also needs supplies to start the School Year. If you are able to donate anything, please contact the school: 323-731-2255.

Save the Date!

Save the Date for HNOJ School's 2nd Annual Fundraiser Luncheon with guest speaker Sr. Eva Lumas and musical entertainment provided by Poncho Williams
Saturday, September 19, 2009 11:00am – 4:00 pm
at the Airport Marriot Hotel.
Tickets are \$55.00 per person and will be on sale after the 8am and 10am masses starting today!

There will also be a Silent Auction during the luncheon. Donations of items for the Silent Auction will be greatly appreciated and are tax deductible! Please see Monica Lewis or Ganine Arnold for more information about the Auction!

Healthy Living...

REACH ACROSS AMERICA PROGRAM AUG 11-18, 2009
(providing free MEDICAL, VISION and DENTAL care for uninsured, underinsured, unemployed, under-employed persons)

Faithful Central will be hosting and facilitating a program (at the Forum) called Reach Across America (RAM) which will be providing free medical, dental and vision care for one week to anyone in need. Please note that you will be able to get your dental, vision & (depending on your health condition) medical needs met right on the spot. They have the tools and expertise needed to issue prescription glasses, and repair dental issues within the week! So be sure to get there early if you need to be seen. Below is more information on the services offered. They are also looking for volunteers and licensed medical professionals so if this is YOU, please be a blessing to someone in need.

AUGUST 11 - AUGUST 18, 2009 - beginning at 5:30AM daily

at

THE FORUM in INGLEWOOD
3900 W Manchester Blvd

DENTAL

The RAM dental program has grown from offering only emergency extractions in the 20 early days to include restorations, cleanings and fluoride treatments today. RAM has a number of very dedicated volunteer dentists whose hard work helps to make each expedition a success.

MEDICAL

By the nature of RAM's customary expeditions in the US, medical services are usually limited to routine medical screenings, such as Pap20smears and mammograms. This is because other medical services are really not effective with only one visit with a doctor.

VISION

One of the core services that Remote20Area Medical® tries to provide at every expedition is full-service vision care. This includes basic screening, refracting, and eye exam. If the patient is found to need eye glasses, a pair is provided to them if possible.

(For Volunteers)

RAM needs

Medical Doctors (all specialties) and Nurses,
Ophthalmologists, Optometrists, Opticians, Ophthalmic Techs,
Paramometry Techs,
General Dentists, Oral Surgery, Pediatric Dentistry, Registered Dental Hygienists, Dental Assistants.

CALIFORNIA LICENSED HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS ONLY
CONTACT

Jean Jolly, Volunteer Coordinator, Remote Area Medical

jeanjolly@ramusa.org

865.579.1530

DID YOU KNOW?**TAKE THE CHILD SAFETY QUIZ**

Parents, guardians, and adults who care for children face constant challenges when trying to help keep children safer in today's fast-paced world. The National Center for Missing and Exploited Children (NCMEC) offers easy-to-use safety resources to help address these challenges. NCMEC's web site offers a range of practical information for parents and guardians that will help keep children safe from harm. The site also features an interactive quiz on child safety designed for both adults and children. To take the quiz, visit the NCMEC web site and click on "Child Safety": www.missingkids.com.

**SHARMAINE HAYLOCK, CHAIRPERSON
HOLY NAME CHURCH SAFEGUARD
THE CHILDREN COMMITTEE**

Stewardship Report***Stewardship: A Definition from Scripture***

*Without cost you have received; without cost you are to give.
-Matthew 10:8*

Weekly Collections**Current Year:**

July 26, 2009 = \$ 7,617.00

Two Previous Years:

July 27, 2008 = \$ 6,686.00

July 22, 2007 = \$ 7,288.00

Thank you for your generosity!

The Family Celebration cannot be held at Kenneth Hahn Park this year because we did not book the park in time. We will resume our Family Celebration next year. Sorry for the inconvenience.



**Assumption of the Blessed Mary,
Body and Soul to Heaven**

The Ministry Mariano "Immaculate Conception", with faith and joy, invites all to actively participate in this great spiritual feast. At 6:00pm on Saturday, August 15 at our church we will have the Living Rosary. If you want to participate, see one of the ministry members to sign up. Following after at 7:00pm will be the Mass in honor of Our Holy Mother. Come and feed your spirit of love and hope.

Apartment for Rent

2 bedroom, 1bath apartment for rent. Located in the Mid-Wilshire area. This apartment is a 1930's style with French windows, hardwood floors, tile kitchen floor, stove, refrigerator, washer and dryer hook up. It's a non-smoking building. Parking is available. \$1800 per month. For more information please call Jeri (323) 930-1590, cell (323) 203-8797.

A few friendly reminders...

- **Children under the age of 13 will have to be accompanied by an adult when going to the restroom...**
- **No teenagers can accompany a younger child to the restroom unless they are over the age of 18...**
- **The crying room is for parents with babies only. All others will be asked to leave...**
- **Children must sit with their parents at all times during the mass services...**
- **Ushers will escort unsupervised children to their parents...**
- **When arriving late for mass, you will be requested to remain in the church lobby until directed by an usher...**
- **Turn cell phones and pagers off when entering church...**
- **No gum, food or drinks in the church!!!!**

Office of Religious Education

Registration for all Religious Classes which includes First Communion and Confirmation will begin on Monday, August 10, 2009. You may register in the office or through the mail. Orientation for Religious Formation Classes (CCD) parents will be on Saturday, August 29, 2009 from 9:30am - 10:15am in English and 10:15am - 11:00am in Spanish. Classes for CCD will begin on Saturday, September 12th from 9:30am - 11:00am & Sunday, September 13th from 9:00am - 10:00am.

Confirmation Classes for 1st year will start on Thursday, September 17, 2009 at 7:00pm in the Acacia Center and 2nd year Confirmation Classes will start on Thursday, September 10, 2009 at 7:00pm in the Acacia Center.

For more information, please contact **Cathy Brown at (323) 734-8888 ext. 2.**